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Red Cross War Fund For Jones County Passes Quota

With \$8,984.85 reported through Saturday, Jones County Red Cross Chapter is well above its assigned quota of \$7,950.00 in the March War Fund campaign, Robert Cross of Anson, war fund chairman, announces.

The drive will continue through the remainder of the month, and contributions will apply in increasing demands for Red Cross services noted by vice-chairmen in all towns.

A \$385.00 boost to Stamford's quota of \$2,500.00 was given in the Livestock Exchange auction of a 100 pound pig which was sold and resold 100 times with bids varying from one to twenty-five dollars to bring \$385.00 for the Red Cross war fund. Monte Smart, Lueders, who had already contributed five dollars to the Red Cross, bought the porker for twelve dollars, to "own the highest priced pig he ever saw."

A dozen communities have not yet reported the success of their drives to Mr. Cross: New Hope, Ericksdahl, Flat Top, Carlton, Hollis Hill, Nugent, Pleasant Valley, Wise Chapel, Willow Creek, Hodges, Lueders, and Noodle.

(Hamlin is well over her quota of \$1590.00 and still going. The war fund call will continue on till March 31st. If you have not made your contribution already, there's time yet, but make it. It is a credit to any community to have the honor of helping the great Red Cross organization in its effort to help suffering humanity, especially our boys who are at the front, who are being sent back with wounds and have to linger in hospitals for months trying to recover. YES, pay your part in the Red Cross).

Visiting Speaker To Be At First Baptist Church

"Religion In The Post-War World" is the subject to be discussed Sunday morning at 11:00 A. M. by W. A. Stephenson, Assistant Dean of Hardin-Simmons University, at the First Baptist Church. Mr. Stephenson, who teaches Government in the University and is very active as a layman in University Baptist church of Abilene, will be with the church both services, supplying in the absence of the pastor who is in a revival meeting at Hobbs, New Mexico.

At 8:30 P. M., the subject will be "Our Patriotic Duty Today and Tomorrow." This is an opportunity for the people of the First Baptist church, and others who care to attend, to hear a man who is up to the minute on present day events, discuss some things of interest from the standpoint of a Christian layman.

Another feature in the services Sunday is the special music. Students from Hardin-Simmons will render special music both services. They will also render special music for the Young People's Training Union at 7:30. We urge you to attend all services.

H. E. East, Pastor
First Baptist Church

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, April 3, 1943, an election has been ordered to be held in the Hamlin High school building for the purpose of choosing two trustees for the Hamlin Independent School District. The trustees elected will serve for a term of three years.

Trustees, whose terms expire are L. H. McBride and C. C. Prater.

Signed:
L. H. McBride, Chairman,
Hamlin School Board (20-21)

New Wallpaper patterns.
PAUL BRYAN LUMBER CO.

Little Miss Geraldine Morgan, age two, is spending the week here with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morgan. Denman and his wife were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Jarnagin and children, and Mrs. R. B. Fudge and son, Don, of Odessa, are here to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith.

The Herald welcomes news items.

Hamlin Chamber Of Commerce President Appoints Committees

One of the most famous ways American people do things is by committees. This holds true whether in clubs, churches or chambers of commerce. Maybe it is the best way, maybe not.

So President Gordon R. Bennett, following the usual plan, appoints certain committees to look after community affairs. Some of these committees will be heard from and some will forget, which committee they were assigned to.

Here they are:
The boys who will look after the membership and the costs of things are B. M. Brundage, Henry Albritton and George Malouf. Go to it fellers, Hamlin needs more members and money is always needed.

The boys who will look after the "Beans and the Bulls" (Agricultural and Livestock Committee) are Bob Campbell, J. Starr Inzer and Jim Moody.

The Highway problems will be looked after by Ted Russell, Joe Culbertson and O. C. Gilbert. These young men should have the McCaulley-Hamlin road finished before another year.

The folks who are appointed to publicize Hamlin, keep Hamlin on the map, are Frank Waggoner, Horace Justice and Kurt Schoeman. If you don't hear enough about Hamlin this year blame these young fellows.

Now here's a committee, "Civics", and just what that means is a little cloudy. Maybe it means looking after the front yard or something pertaining to the flowers, or trash, anyway, Bowen Pope, Haskell Carter and Don Gould are listed on Civics. This certainly does not mean a sanitary committee.

Now it is necessary to have Trade Extended and kept alive and flowing towards Hamlin and the boys to look after this important feature of Hamlin existence, are Ivy Witt, Eddie Jay, Ambrose Spencer and Art Carmichael. Go to it boosters, the time has come when we must go forward or retreat.

What would a town be without entertainment? So if you want entertainment, call on Herman McBride, Roy Gilbreath and Roy McCurdy. Remember all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy.

Oil and Gas are two vital products of the Hamlin community. We need more oil and maybe we've got too much, of a kind, and so to grease up the machinery and get more oil and gas the whole thing lies upon the shoulders of Tate May, Holly Toler and J. B. Terrell. Go to it boys, we need more holes in the ground.

One of the most important words used in this day of War is "Salvage and Scrap." Every time you see something that should be saved, report to one of the boys on this committee, and since we're all in the Scrap these fellows will have plenty of company, so now we see names re-appearing, Jim Moody, Ivy Witt, Ted Russell, who are to be helped by W. L. Boyd.

Folks of Hamlin, there you are. If something does not go right in Hamlin, blame the Chamber of Commerce. All we got to do now is to rest easy—the committees will do the work.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

A nice Jersey bull. A two-row John Deere cultivator, a two-row planter, a Wind Charger and radio, and a breaking plow for single row Allis Chalmers tractor. What have you for sale or trade?

C. C. RENFRO (20P)

1—Extra good Kitchen cabinet.
EXCHANGE FURNITURE CO.

See Inzer Pharmacy for Fuller Brush line.

BICYCLE

Have a practically new bicycle, two sets of new tires and tubes, one extra heavy duty luggage carrier, and large basket. \$45.00 cash. See it at the Mrs. Eunice Thompson Apartments.

J. M. SMITH (20P)

Hamlin Lions Club Is Gathering Scrap Iron

Members of the Lions Club and trucks are working gathering up more scrap iron to throw at our enemies. Perhaps you thought all of the scrap was in. Several more tons can and must be brought in.

Reply post cards have been mailed to every rural box holder asking the approximate amount of scrap known to be lying around on their premises. As these cards come in routes for the trucks will be planned and the Lions will see that it is sent where it will do the most good. Several tons have already been pledged and the grand total should be surprising. More about the drive next week.

If you know of any scrap, no matter how little or how great, get in touch with Art Carmichael, Holly Toler or any member of the Lions Club.

A New Pastor For Assembly of God

The Assembly of God church has a new pastor, taking the place of Rev. N. A. McMillan, who goes to Bowie, Texas, to be their pastor.

The new minister is Rev. Dewey Helms of Caddo, Texas. Rev. Helms came with his family, a wife and four children last week. He began his pastorate here last Sunday night, having charge of the services while the retiring pastor delivered his final sermon. Their church place is in South Hamlin.

Rev. Helms is a young man, with seven years of ministerial experience. He seems very enthusiastic in his work, and is making a great effort to meet as many Hamlin people as possible, and as soon as possible.

85 YEARS OF AGE

One of Hamlin's venerable and best beloved men is Mr. W. N. Temple, who has just started on his 86th year. He was 85 years of age Monday, March 15. Mr. Temple is still very active, makes it down to town every day to get his mail. He enjoys chats with his friends, and keeps right up with this whirling world by reading daily papers and listening to the radio. When Sunday comes, Mr. Temple can be seen on his way to his church, and often when the weather is considered too bad for younger people to get out even in autos. He has never driven a car and he says walking will keep a man fit when doctors and medicine fail. Another thing, nobody takes more pride in a yard and garden than Mr. Temple, another way to keep age from telling. Sunshine, green grass and blooming plants have a language that gives one comfort. Congratulations, Mr. Temple.

I. C. (Billie) Fudge Jr. writes from Benicia, Calif., for the Herald. He is working in the arsenal there and says he has heard of Sunny California, but so far he has only seen the sun a few times.

New Training Courses For High School Boys

Two new courses are started in the Hamlin Public Schools for the purpose of helping prepare our boys for military service. One-half unit is being granted by the State Department in applied science, which is military drill. Mr. A. L. Stell, representing the American Legion and the Home Guard, and Captain N. C. Bennett of the Home Guard from Anson, Texas, assisted by Mr. R. H. Campbell, are the drill masters. Four platoons of about thirty boys each are being given training in drill four days a week. This course has been introduced at the request of the government in order that the boys may know the fundamentals of military drilling, and that a physical fitness program may be introduced for the boys.

The second course introduced is Morse Code training. Twenty-five boys have signed up for this work. It is a government prepared course, taught largely by practice and transcription. It is a pre-induction course.

G. R. Bennett, Supt.

Watch Closely

In these days most papers are carrying heavy lists of subscribers and unless advance subscriptions are paid on or before the expiration it will hurt.

So when March closes one-fourth of 1943 is gone. We'll check out all unpaid subscriptions. So look at the figures after your name. If you have a soldier getting the Herald, ask about his date. It may be a renewal can't be made if his paper should stop.

Mrs. Dub Burgess returned home Monday night from Springfield, Mo., where she had spent the past three weeks or more near her husband, who is taking a technical course in the O'Reilly General Army Hospital. Mrs. Burgess resumes her position as operator in the S. W. Bell Telephone office. She says she enjoyed her stay in Missouri, and learned a lot about army life at the big hospital. It is to such hospitals as that in Springfield that men are sent for extended treatment after being injured on the fighting fronts.

J. M. Donaghey and Mr. and Mrs. John Dutton went to Pampa Saturday to accompany Mrs. Woodrow Dutton to join her husband who is in the Air Force there. Mrs. Dutton is staying with her husband till he is moved.

Mrs. Arnold Galloway has returned to her home after a two weeks' visit with her soldier husband at Ft. Bliss, Texas. Pvt. Galloway will get the Herald from here out, to keep his memories fresh about the old home town.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Holden, Don and Gene spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden.

Jones County Folk Have Been Singing For Fifty Years

The Jones County Annual Singing Convention will meet on its regular date, the first Sunday in April, 1943 in the High School auditorium in Anson, Texas, the permanent home of the convention.

This Convention is fifty years old now and many of the charter members still reside in Jones County. They have really begged the committee not to go without a meeting this year. Remember the date, April 4, 1943, and come to Anson and sing all day for God and country.

A. L. Stall, Secretary

Air Medal Awarded to Sgt. Howard E. Crow

HEADQUARTERS
FIFTH AIR FORCE

February 13, 1943

Mrs. W. E. Crow,
Box 213
Hamlin, Texas.

DEAR MRS. CROW:

Recently your son was awarded the Air Medal. This award was made in recognition of his courage and fearless service to his combat organization, his fellow American airmen, his country, his home and to you.

Your son was decorated for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the Southwest Pacific Area from December 8, 1941, to November 11, 1942.

He took part in more than twenty-five operational flight missions, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations included attacks against enemy installations, shipping and supply bases, and aided considerably in the recent successes in this theatre.

Almost every hour of every day your son, and the sons of other American mothers, are doing just such things as that here in the Southwest Pacific.

Theirs is real and very tangible contribution to victory and to peace.

I would like to tell you how genuinely proud I am to have had men such as your son in my command, and how gratified I am to know that young Americans with such courage and resourcefulness are fighting our country's battle against the aggressor nations.

You, Mrs. Crow, have every reason to share that pride and gratification.

Very sincerely,

GEORGE C. KENNEY,
Lieutenant General, Commanding
(Sgt. Crow enjoyed a long furlough at home recently and was sent to the Pyote Field where the 19th Squadron received great recognition and now he is at the Dalhart Field.)

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Marietta of Presidio were here this week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Fannin. While here they left a dollar for the Herald so they can keep old memories of Hamlin fresh.

ABOUT HALF-INCH OF REAL RAIN, FELL HERE FRIDAY

From reports, Hamlin immediate territory was the most fortunate part of this section of Texas in getting a nice little rain last Friday morning. It was real rain, the wetting kind, that made farmers and city ranchers happy. But it quit and the extent of area covered was very small. Perhaps a full half-inch fell, and it was the first this year.

Most all farmers have their lands in good shape and when a good season comes things will boom. This is a row crop country, a cotton country, and fine for grain if rains come in time.

Last week end Jimmie Clements and Elmer Feagan, Jr., were at home from John Tarleton College, retaking a survey of who and where people live in Hamlin. It seems they are afraid they will "forget" and have to come back and look 'em over.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sauze and children of Abilene were over for Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Tegtart.

The Herald anywhere, 1 year, \$1

THIS WEEK

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT

This

AND A LITTLE BIT OF

THAT

—See that Editor Shelton of the Rotan Advance says "Don't take the Advance unless you really want it."...that's another wrinkle the war has put on things....maybe subscriptions could be rationed but not likely....one thing certain tho, a small town paper can go broke flat as a fritter if its subscription list gets too large.....the date which each paper is paid up to is generally plainly printed on the paper or wrapper and for a publisher to keep sending a paper not paid for should be against postal regulations.

—Whew! That's over! Didn't we have a tug at that Income Tax sheet?...how's your conscience, bud, did you leave out some "deduct" or did you show a very expensive year to operate your business? The "Ides" of March is a great day, provided we arrange for it, and the "arranging" should start with a sensitive conscience on January 1, of each year....both for income and outgo, allowables....

—The most wonderful tomatoes are being grown (?) in Jones Co., even right here in Hamlin....why, the old Editor has got the tomato fever....we see where they have a tomato that grows up ten or twelve feet, one that requires a step ladder, and the "love apples" some are as heavy as TWO pounds....now we're going to put out some of "them kind" and have our picture tuck....The best time to do gardening is early in the spring, in fact about March 21, while it's not too hot, plant it out wide and extensive, and then forget about it, or then later towards summer in the early mornings you don't have time to, then it's too hot just after lunch, and by late evening....well, what's the use, it's all wilted down....Let's go buy some vegetables.

—Talking about Income Tax....it is wonderful how the American people respond to duty....why, the way the congress has been "chawing the rag" about the income tax, one would be justifiable in thinking they were trying to figure out some way to "eliminate" all taxes due Uncle Sam....but instead the mails have been crowded with reports, with checks, full and ample payments and from millions of anxious hearts that beat with a feeling of gladness because one has made enough to pay on and still have ten thousand times more left than some of the pitiful people in lands where the murderers have taken life and property.

—The most effective "Ceiling" on any article is when the ceiling gets to high, quit buying that article....after all the buyer sets the price....quit buying and watch the stuff fall....if there's too much produced or made the demand takes care of that too....after all, nature has a pretty good way to balance everything, even the mass of humanity.

—The past week end, Attorney Frank Taylor, who is with the OPA was in Hamlin to visit his mother and to look after "Ceilings" in this part of Texas. Frank says they are having some trouble holding fryers under the ceiling....in fact, in some places, the fryers have gone into the attic....tender fryers are rare now but within a few more weeks they will be on hand by the millions and there's where the ceiling will help everybody.

Miss Eleanor Temple went to the home of her brother, Earl Temple, near Lamesa, Sunday. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wiar. Mrs. Earl Temple is very ill in a Lamesa hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. T. M. McBrayer of Childress visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Harrell this week.

Hey! Look Mamma! Inzer Pharmacy is the Fuller Brush man now.

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Let's Not Forget—

That the thing of first importance in this United States is our WAR. Every time one of our soldiers or sailors come in from the battle front and hint at even a few of the things our enemies are doing, it brings the war nearer our doors. Our boys can't realize how impossible it is for the folks back home to understand that it's a real fight, where blood and bones and hearts and brains are sacrificed.

And you know some people get peeved when they see others getting "serious" as if this thing can be laughed off. We can't wish a victory, we have kidded ourselves too long, made monkeys of our efforts, and hoop-laded for the Russians and cussed the English and pitied the Chinese, slurred the pitiful French, and now some are yelling, "The war is about over."

Up to this time, excepting the Navy and Air Forces, we have only skirmished, unless it is now a first class drive is on in Tunisia. All of us are proud of our men who batter back the Japs, but not a single man has come home making fun of the Japs as fighters. Those little monkeys are on our backs and we are going to see several Kiskas before it is over. The day of parade ought to stop, and kidding ourselves that a victory can come by letting the "other fellow" do the fighting. Do we really realize there's a war on and somebody is going to get hurt?

It is always fine to get a nice letter from folks who have lived at or near Hamlin, for example W. A. Oneal at Gorman, the old-timer who says "Inclosed is a dollar for the Herald, we can't do without it." OK W. A., how are your peanuts coming?

Makes Good Point—

Thursday morning the Abilene Reporter-News carried a timely editorial on the lack of whole-hearted co-operation of the Austin government with that of Washington. Especially did it mention the failure of the legislature to amend the Texas auto speed law to meet requirements of the 35 mile suggestion. So from here on you can pass the State Patrol officers and thumb your nose to them at 60 miles per hour, but remember when you DO, you are not showing much respect and little concern in the efforts to keep things going while our boys are fighting our battles. Go on bud, it's your country, somebody will come along sometime and pick you up. Here is where the rationing board can do some good work.

Another thing, the Reporter-News mentioned that paralleled what we have said long ago. The tirade some of the new politicians down in Texas are making about "Bureaucracy" in our federal government. Democracy is a word from the Greeks, meaning the will or wish of the people. A governmental bureau is a department set up by a legislative body to carry on some part of government, which is the will of the people. Now why raise so much hell about "bureaucracy" when it is the sole manner of making our state and federal government operate? It seems clear that there is a race on down here, laying a screen behind which a certain noisy orator is planning to run for something. It would seem Texas people would learn better than to follow off after such chaff, after so much of it has been fed to Texas.

Get your Typewriter Ribbon at the HERALD OFFICE.

WE SLING GYPSUM

Gypsie Reporters

(Frances Nichols-Minnie Lee Elkins)

It looks as if "Old Man Winter" has just about vanished. Let's hope he has, anyway.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ferguson and daughter, Penny Frances of Sylvester, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Chriswell spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Chriswell in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lockhart are enjoying a visit from Mr. Lockhart, and Mrs. Nora Lockhart of Quanah. John Riddle visited his mother, Mrs. D. L. Riddle in Hamlin Sunday.

Miss Louise Riddle entertained a number of young people in her home Saturday. A good time was reported by all.

Earl Hines of Hamlin visited in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hines Sunday.

Pvt. Eugene and Mrs. Eaton were home last week end to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Elkins and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Eaton.

Miss Geraldine Brown spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Annie Lou Bevens and family in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marchman and daughter, Marceda, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rhoton and family and Mr. and Mrs. June Rhoton and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rhoton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lester and family spent Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McWright and son, Harvie Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter, Mrs. Annie Lou Brown and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Smith are enjoying a visit from Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Ada Smith.

Misses Betty Jo and Hopie Greene gave a party Monday night for the young people. Everyone enjoyed it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Griffin and daughter, Lovela and Lynn, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hall of Hamlin.

Little Jerry Carr has been sick

with tonsillitis this last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown received a letter from their son, Pvt. W. A. Brown who is in the Marines. He is well and still expects to come home Easter.

We were handed a dollar to send the Herald to Pvt. B. L. Smith for one year. B. L. is now stationed at Los Vegas, Nevada.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Johnson and son Bob of Post, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fahey.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jones of Hamlin.

Miss Mary Lou Bond and Miss Tess Carr spent Monday with their parents.

Glenn W. Bond left for Camp Wolters Wednesday, after a seven days leave. He was sworn in the army March 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Fancher and daughters, Janice, Winna Faye and Wilda Jean, spent Sunday in McCaulley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Polk and family spent the week end in Rotan visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fahey spent Sunday with their son, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Fahey and family at Rotan.

We were just handed a letter from Pvt. Dick Chriswell. It reads as follows:

Dear Friends: I would like to hear from some of you. All I can say is, it's sure swell to get to come home once every two months.

Yours truly,

Pvt. Richard L. Chriswell
San Angelo Army Air Field

PIE AUCTION CONTEST AT CHURCH MONDAY NIGHT

There will be a pie auction, a contest for a girl to be Miss Plasterco of 1943. There will also be a good program, all a benefit to the Red Cross. Our quota is \$150.00. Help us reach our quota. There will be enjoyment for everyone. Come, and bring money or coupons, and buy a pie, and bet on your girl. Ladies will bring pies. Remember, Monday night, March 22nd.

Decorative Felt for bedrooms and parts of the home. No canvas required.

PAUL BRYAN LUMBER CO.

About Soldiers--Sailors

Information comes that soldier man Harold F. Newberry, formerly operator of the Cloverfarm Store, is now rated Pfc. Newberry is at the Childress Bombardier Field. Harold is in the ground force.

— S & S —

Pvt. D. M. Wright is another soldier who got a chance to change his G I clothes to that of a farm worker. Pvt. Wright got home from the Demming, New Mexico, army airfield Saturday. He had been in nine months.

— S & S —

Staff Sgt. Mannon Terrell has just returned to service after a 20 days furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Terrell. Those people formerly lived in Fisher Co. This soldier has been in the regular army nearly four years and has more stripes and badges yet seen in Hamlin. Service stripes and gunnery efficiency.

— S & S —

SERGEANT WINIFRED JOINER PRISONER IN PHILIPPINES

Mrs. A. S. Joiner received a message last Saturday from the War Department that her son was reported a prisoner of the Japanese Government in the Philippines. This comes as a great relief to this bereaved mother and family. Winifred's father recently passed away and to the very last he hoped and longed to hear that his son was alive.

This was the first time they had heard from Winifred since before Pearl Harbor. He was stationed at Nichols Field some distance from Manila when the Japs struck them. There are several other Hamlin boys that have not been heard from yet, and this gives hope that ere long the Red Cross will secure the wanted information.

— S & S —

Cpl. Jack Sauls, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sauls writes his parents from North Africa frequently but only enough to let them know he is well. Jack says, however, that the PX finally got there and they can get candy now.

— S & S —

J. M. Donaghey went to Dallas last week with his son, Pvt. J. M. Donaghey who was returning to Camp Campbell, Ky. Mr. Donaghey has a cousin in Dallas and he promised to tell the soldier son if he caught a fish in White Rock Lake. He did; it was a 5 pound Channel Cat. That ought to make the boy smile.

— S & S —

Lieutenant John H. Reynolds and wife and daughter of Jackson, Miss. came up Saturday night to visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Reynolds. Lt. Reynolds is in the 304th Ordnance Regt. and has been in service about ten months. He had formerly been occupying an important position with the International Harvester Co. and was commissioned on entering the army.

Rabbits

California is the leader in rabbit production although no complete figures for the nation are available. It is known that in the Los Angeles trade area, 1,600,000 pounds of rabbit meat have been sold in one year. The U. S. Rabbit Experiment station is located at Fontana, Calif., where studies are being made in breeding, fur and wool production and marketing. Rabbit raising has thrived in the West because the mild climate permits open air hutches.

Most of the income is made by selling rabbits for meat. This compares favorably with other meats in protein. It has less fat and costs less per pound than expensive cuts of beef and lamb. This country has imported an average of nearly 91,000,000 pounds of dressed rabbit pelts and it would seem that there might be a bright outlook for selling furs and pelts. Efficiency studies show, however, that meat is the more dependable outlet. Because of the cost of stock, it requires more money to raise rabbits than poultry.

California raises more Angora rabbits than any other state. Much rabbit wool is imported and some California people have obtained a better price per pound for wool when it was spun into yarn at home and then sold to department stores.

— S & S —

Notice the date after your name.

W. H. EYSEN, JR.

Attorney-at-Law

Income TAX Reports

Office Waggoner Building

HAMLIN, TEXAS

Sgt. Norman Lasseter came up from the Eagle Pass Flying School on a ten days furlough. He is a radio operator in the control tower.

— S & S —

Now here's a sailor for you, Max B. Carlton, who arrived in Hamlin Wednesday from the "little ole Pacific Ocean," where he had been playing around the last three or more years. Max is an Aviation Machinist Mate, 2-C, and has not been at home in about two years. In that time he has gone through a lot of hard stuff, on a big cruiser. He will be at home about twenty days or more. As soon as he arrived he wanted to see his famous white and green Pied Piper sweater, with that big green H in front. Since Pearl Harbor Max has played in some big games, for instance, Midway, Coral Seas, etc., and wherever the Piper goes, he keeps kicking the goal.

— S & S —

Pvts. Pat Marlowe and Vernon Andress, ground air force soldiers in the Bryan Field, will have to be "good" now. Pat came up this week and moved his wife and little son and Mrs. Andress to Bryan where they will stay while the boys are there. Pat Marlowe gave up a dandy job as manager of Safeway Store here to join the army, and Vernon Andress likewise was one of the main "bean pushers" in that store. Mrs. Andress has been connected with the Cactus Beauty Shop for some time.

— S & S —

Our young Marine boy, Delbert Kite, was heard from again this week. He sent his letter out on Feb. 18, from somewhere. He told his mother he had received about a dozen letters from her. But Mrs. Kite writes about three times per week. Mail is getting through better now. Delbert told his mother not to worry about his getting cold. He says, "Yes, I'm comfortable, except too warm." He could not tell where he was but he did say "There are so many trees that I can't step outside of my hut door without bumping my head." Well, news of any kind gives a parent encouragement and renewed hope.

— S & S —

This week we got to see a letter from Sgt. Joe Meeks from North Africa. Joe says it's cold and raining (that was Feb. 19). He sent his picture and one with him and two buddies, and also one of Martha Raye who was making the camps and boosting the men with her comedy. Joe didn't tell much, but it was enough to make his old Dad, G. A. Meeks who is almost blind, very happy.

— S & S —

Lieutenant and Mrs. Dalbert Barron came in from Chico, Calif., and spent the past week end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Greenway in the Wise Chapel community. They were on their transfer to Hobbs, New Mexico, where Lt. Barron is assigned to the Advanced Air Base.

— S & S —

Pvt. Alpha O. Butler who is in the 29th FA Bn., is still traveling. He seems to be in a demonstration detachment teaching other outfits.

— S & S —

Pfc. Alvis Bond, who is stationed at School in Brookings, South Dakota, was called home last week by the illness of his baby. He found it greatly improved and will return this week to his training.

— S & S —

Pvt. Ernest Jenkins was up from the Bryan Air Field to visit with his wife and parents the past week end. His wife is teaching in the Lubbock schools and met him here.

— S & S —

Pfc. Cleo Perryman came in last week from Camp Young, Calif., on a short furlough. Cleo is in the Coast Artillery communications department.

— S & S —

The Public Relations office at Maxwell Field, Ala., reports that Milton Young Wilson (M. Y. to us in Hamlin) son of Mrs. M. Y. Wilson, is now enrolled as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces Pre-flight School for Pilots. Wilson was formerly a student in North Texas State Teachers College, and received a diploma from the Army Mechanics School of Aeronautics at Kansas City, in aircraft engine overhauling. He enlisted Dec. 29, 1941 and served as an enlisted man till Jan. 27, 1943 at Nashville.

— S & S —

Pvt. "Jiggs" Gold came up from the Bryan, Texas, Air Field Saturday looking fit and fine, to be at home till Thursday. Pvt. Gold said they had been living on Field Rations all the week. He said it was a balanced feed.



Axis cuts your driving—Terrorizes your engine with ACID!

Every time short rations keep your car idle it's really like the Axis trying to dose your engine with acid. All the Axis needs is the acid products of combustion always left in your engine when it stops. This unavoidable acid wasn't so bad when cleaned out pretty well, several times a day, on fast runs that warmed the engine completely. But now with slow short runs often keeping the engine too cool, acid's chance has increased to corrode metal.

To keep your tools from corroding you apply oil—again and again. In your engine you can have a more lasting preservative. It's designed to combat internal acid corrosion.

It's surfaced to metals as closely as any protective plating. That's why this inner engine preservative—made possible by the quick, simple, economical change to Conoco Nth motor oil—is known as OIL-PLATING.

Conoco Nth—patented—brings you the special synthetic invented to make metal surfaces cover themselves with OIL-PLATING. It may be quite a while "between coupons" now. But you needn't give hungry acids all that while to gnaw at your engine, which the Axis won't let you replace yet! OIL-PLATE it now. Change to Conoco Nth for Spring. Continental Oil Company

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Lester Morton Weds Abilene Girl

Miss Juanita Fielder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fielder, of Abilene, and Lester Morton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morton of Hamlin, were married Sunday morning at 9 o'clock in the First Baptist church in Abilene. The ring service was read by the pastor, Dr. Millard A. Jenkins.

Wedding music was given by E. Edwin Young, dean of music at Hardin-Simmons University and Miss Halouise Mason, of Frederick, Oklahoma.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Fielder home, 518 Meander, for members of

the wedding party, relatives and close friends.

Mrs. Morton is a graduate of Abilene High school, and a senior student in Hardin-Simmons University. At Hardin-Simmons she has been a member of the Cowgirls, a capella choir, Beta Mu Kappa, music society, and the University chorus. She is majoring in public school music.

Mr. Morton is a graduate of the Hamlin High school and of Hardin-Simmons where he majored in physical education. In college he was a member of the Physical Education club, a capella choir, University band and tenor in the male quartet. He is employed at the Camp Barkeley postoffice, but has been accepted for aviation cadet training and will be inducted March 20th.

Mrs. C. M. Ryles of Abilene is spending the week here with her mother, Mrs. Dock Griffin. Her husband is a soldier in North Africa.

Henry Faulkenberry of Lamesa came down last week to visit his aged mother at the home of his brother, L. R. Faulkenberry.

METHODIST CHURCH

JAMES E. HARRELL, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Morning Worship at 11 o'clock.
Youth Fellowship Recreational Hr. 6:15 P. M.
Youth Fellowship program, 7:15 P. M.
Evening service at 8:15.

Woman's Society of Christian Service Monday afternoon at 3:00.
Fellowship night Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, with a covered dish lunch. The Latin America Mission Study Book will be presented at this time. Bring a covered dish and enjoy this Fellowship evening.

The pastor will bring the sermon message at both the morning and evening services next Sunday. Special music will be rendered.

The world needs your Christian influence more now than ever before. Faithful attendance at church will help you and the world about you. Attend church and help to make this old world a better place in which to live.

We welcome visitors to our services.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

J. W. CUNDIEFF, Pastor

10 A. M., Bible School.
11 A. M., Preaching service.
7 P. M., Preaching service.
8 P. M., Wednesday, prayer meeting.
8 P. M., Bible study.
Members are expected. Visitors will find a friendly welcome.

NEINDA NEWS

By Ettie Hodges and Artha Lee Tollison

Mrs. Arnold Galloway returned Monday from Fort Bliss where she has been visiting her husband.

Vallie Dewitt Hodges visited with James Smart Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniels visited with Mrs. Daniels' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Baldwin, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Grover Maynard and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maynard.

Mrs. Floyd Winslett spent the week end in Abilene with Sgt. and Mrs. H. Hilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Boyd visited relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Rogers and sons Kevin and Dwain visited Mrs. Rogers' mother in McCaulley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams Sunday.

Wanda Williams spent Sunday with Annie Lee and Charlene Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scarborough of Dallas visited relatives here last week end.

Mrs. George Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Brown and family this week.

Miss Ima Bell Rodgers of Fort Worth visited relatives here last week end.

Mr. Raybon Dixon of Amarillo visited his wife and children here last week end.

Mrs. Carmelita Griffin came from Abilene Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. Dock Griffin. She was accompanied by Sgt. James W. Beane, who came home on a furlough.

NAZARENE CHURCH

Christian training for the youths of our country is more essential today than ever before. We all feel that our victory over the enemies of civilization, depends upon "Christian America." And Christian America depends on the Christian as an individual, for America is no stronger Christian than her people.

Let's do our bit to win by attending church and Sunday School every Sunday.

We especially invite you to our church Sunday night, March 21, at 8:15 to hear Rev. Ralph Cook, a missionary to India. We are sure Bro. Cook's message will be inspirational and informational.

Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
N. Y. P. S. 7:30 P. M.
Missionary Service 8:15, P. M.
We welcome all visitors to all our services.

Dan D. Jones, Pastor

Full Gospel Mission

SID LILES, Sponsor

Sunday School 10 A. M.
Preaching Service 11 A. M.
Divine Healing Service... 3 P. M.
Young People's Service 7:15 p. m.
Evangelistic Service .. 8:15 P. M.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 8:15 P. M.

Come and receive a reward in the Lord's blessing. Come and hear the old time gospel.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Doyle Banta, Minister

SUNDAY

Bible Study at 10:00 A. M.
Worship Service at 11:00 A. M.
Bible study at 7:00 P. M.
Worship hour at 8:00 P. M.

MONDAY

Ladies' Bible class at 3:30 P. M.
WEDNESDAY
Bible study at 8:00 P. M.

Mrs. Marvin Hill has returned to her home in Silver City, N. M., after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warner. Mrs. Hill also visited her sister, Retha Helms of Pampa while in Texas.



War Workers and Soldiers must have EXTRA ENERGY! They need plenty of fats and meats, to keep them going at top speed.

Cotton Is An Energy Crop!

COTTONSEED OIL supplies essential fats for Americans who fight and work for freedom...

—And COTTONSEED MEAL AND CAKE give feeders the rich protein they need to produce milk, beef, pork and mutton. The need for "energy foods"—the need for COTTONSEED—is greater than ever before.

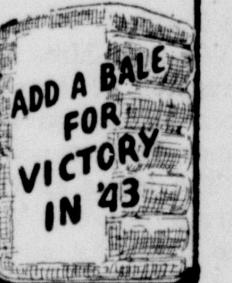
—Every Extra Bale in 1943 Helps to Win the War—

LET'S FEED MORE SOLDIERS
—AND WAR WORKERS!

HAMLIN COTTON OIL MILL

J. E. MOODY, Mgr. PHONE 175

HAMLIN, TEXAS



Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Maloney of Wichita Falls came down for the weekend to be at home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van Huling. Van was on a visit with his family, while he had a chance to get off from his work in the shell loading plant at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Perryman of Grand Prairie came up last Friday night to visit home folks while their brother Pfc. Cleo who was here on a furlough. Edell is making airplanes in North American. Mrs. Perryman is better known as Nita Tidwell.

FERGUSON THEATRE

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Friday Night

"TISH"

Mary Roberts Rinehart's lovable irrepressible spinster and her henchwomen in a hilarious heart-warming, human escapade.

With MARJORIE MAIN
ZASU PITTS
ALINE MacMAHON
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ALSO SELECTED SHORTS

Sat. matinee & Night

Two Big Features

"I Live On Danger"
CHESTER MORRIS
JEAN PARKER

"Sunset Serenade"

ROY ROGERS
GEORGE HAYES
PLUS CARTOON COMEDY

SAT. NIGHT PREVUE 11:45

Sunday Matinee AND NIGHT

SUN. Night Beginning 8:45
Complete Show Begins 9:00
MONDAY NIGHT

JACK BENNY
And ANN SHERIDAN In
'George Washington Slept Here'

Ann makes a rustic out of Benny. A home in the country, with locusts, mud and a phony rich uncle.

With CHARLES COBURN
HATTIE McDANIELS

Also Featurette
'MARCH OF AMERICA'

Tuesday—Wed. SPECIAL BARGAIN NIGHT

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With DICK POWELL
ROSEMARY LANE
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FLAT TOP NEWS

By Laverne Jenkins

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of Aspermont spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Harl Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Jones of Lubbock spent the week end with Mr. Frank Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Branscum of Aspermont visited Mr. and Mrs. Eli Bruner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McInroe and daughter Ola Jean of Swedonia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Packwood.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bingham and son Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Whittenburg of Boyd Chapel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hill and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hill of Hitson Sunday.

Mrs. Viola Brown returned home Saturday after having spent two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Sam Tindal of Littlefield.

Miss Laverne Miller of Abilene spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Miller.

Miss Dorothy Nell Jenkins spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whaley of Dovie.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Stovall of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Holmes.



IN HOSPITALS throughout West Texas (and close up to battle lines all over the world) a blue-white light blazes down on the tense little group. ... A suction machine hums quietly. ... Skillful fingers poise an electric knife. ... A human life hangs on the smooth, even flow of electric power.

Electric equipment of many kinds serves the modern hospital. Busy doctors and nurses use it every day for diagnosis and treatment, without even

pausing to think of the constant supply of electricity that keeps it operating.

But electric power didn't just happen. The hard work, training and experience of West Texas Utilities men and women have made it dependable.

They've made it plentiful, too—so that West Texas communities have not been hindered by any power shortage while joining in the Nation's war effort. And they've made it cheap—so

that the average West Texas home enjoys over twice as much electricity for the same money it paid about fifteen years ago.

These are the results of practical business management under public regulation—part of the system of business freedom in which millions of Americans have put their faith and their savings.

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Red Cross War Fund For Jones County Passes Quota

With \$8,984.85 reported through Saturday, Jones County Red Cross Chapter is well above its assigned quota of \$7,950.00 in the March War Fund campaign, Robert Cross of Anson, war fund chairman, announces.

The drive will continue through the remainder of the month, and contributions will apply in increasing demands for Red Cross services noted by vice-chairmen in all towns.

A \$385.00 boost to Stamford's quota of \$2,500.00 was given in the Livestock Exchange auction of a 100 pound pig which was sold and resold 100 times with bids varying from one to twenty-five dollars to bring \$385.00 for the Red Cross war fund. Monte Smart, Lueders, who had already contributed five dollars to the Red Cross, bought the porker for twelve dollars, to "own the highest priced pig he ever saw."

A dozen communities have not yet reported the success of their drives to Mr. Cross: New Hope, Ericksdahl, Flat Top, Carlton, Hollis Hill, Nugent, Pleasant Valley, Wise Chapel, Willow Creek, Hodges, Lueders, and Noodle.

(Hamlin is well over her quota of \$1590.00 and still going. The war fund call will continue on till March 31st. If you have not made your contribution already, there's time yet, but make it. It is a credit to any community to have the honor of helping the great Red Cross organization in its effort to help suffering humanity, especially our boys who are at the front, who are being sent back with wounds and have to linger in hospitals for months trying to recover. YES, pay your part in the Red Cross).

Visiting Speaker To Be At First Baptist Church

"Religion In The Post-War World" is the subject to be discussed Sunday morning at 11:00 A. M. by W. A. Stephenson, Assistant Dean of Hardin-Simmons University, at the First Baptist Church. Mr. Stephenson, who teaches Government in the University and is very active as a layman in University Baptist church of Abilene, will be with the church both services, supplying in the absence of the pastor who is in a revival meeting at Hobbs, New Mexico.

At 8:30 P. M., the subject will be "Our Patriotic Duty Today and Tomorrow." This is an opportunity for the people of the First Baptist church, and others who care to attend, to hear a man who is up to the minute on present day events, discuss some things of interest from the standpoint of a Christian layman.

Another feature in the services Sunday is the special music. Students from Hardin-Simmons will render special music both services. They will also render special music for the Young People's Training Union at 7:30. We urge you to attend all services.

H. E. East, Pastor
First Baptist Church

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, April 3, 1943, an election has been ordered to be held in the Hamlin High school building for the purpose of choosing two trustees for the Hamlin Independent School District. The trustees elected will serve for a term of three years.

Trustees, whose terms expire are L. H. McBride and C. C. Prater.

Signed:

L. H. McBride, Chairman,
Hamlin School Board (20-2)

New Wallpaper patterns.

PAUL BRYAN LUMBER CO.

Little Miss Geraldine Morgan, age two, is spending the week here with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morgan. Denman and his wife were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Jarnagin and children, and Mrs. R. B. Fudge and son, Don, of Odessa, are here to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith.

The Herald welcomes news items.

Hamlin Chamber Of Commerce President Appoints Committees

One of the most famous ways American people do things is by committees. This holds true whether in clubs, churches or chambers of commerce. Maybe it is the best way, maybe not.

So President Gordon R. Bennett, following the usual plan, appoints certain committees to look after community affairs. Some of these committees will be heard from and some will forget, which committee they were assigned to.

Here they are:

The boys who will look after the membership and the costs of things are B. M. Brundage, Henry Albritton and George Malouf. Go to it fellows, Hamlin needs more members and money is always needed.

The boys who will look after the "Beans and the Bulls" (Agricultural and Livestock Committee) are Bob Campbell, J. Starr Inzer and Jim Moody.

The Highway problems will be looked after by Ted Russell, Joe Culbertson and O. C. Gilbert. These young men should have the McCaulley-Hamlin road finished before another year.

The folks who are appointed to publicize Hamlin, keep Hamlin on the map, are Frank Waggoner, Horace Justice and Kurt Schoeman. If you don't hear enough about Hamlin this year blame these young fellows.

Now here's a committee, "Civics", and just what that means is a little cloudy. Maybe it means looking after the front yard or something pertaining to the flowers, or trash, anyway, Bowen Pope, Haskell Carter and Don Gould are listed on Civics. This certainly does not mean a sanitary committee.

Now it is necessary to have Trade Extended and kept alive and flowing towards Hamlin and the boys to look after this important feature of Hamlin existence, are Ivy Witt, Eddie Jay, Ambrose Spencer and Art Carmichael. Go to it boosters, the time has come when we must go forward or retreat.

What would a town be without entertainment? So if you want entertainment, call on Herman McBride, Roy Gilbreath and Roy McCurdy. Remember all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy.

Oil and Gas are two vital products of the Hamlin community. We need more oil and maybe we've got too much, of a kind, and so to grease up the machinery and get more oil and gas the whole thing lies upon the shoulders of Tate May, Holly Toler and J. B. Terrell. Go to it boys, we need more holes in the ground.

One of the most important words used in this day of War is "Salvage and Scrap." Every time you see something that should be saved, report to one of the boys on this committee, and since we're all in the Scrap these fellows will have plenty of company, so now we see names re-appearing, Jim Moody, Ivy Witt, Ted Russell, who are to be helped by W. L. Boyd.

Folks of Hamlin, there you are. If something does not go right in Hamlin, blame the Chamber of Commerce. All we got to do now is to rest easy—the committees will do the work.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

A nice Jersey bull. A two-row John Deere cultivator, a two-row planter, a Wind Charger and radio, and a breaking plow for single row Allis Chalmers tractor. What have you for sale or trade?

C. C. RENFRO (20P)

1—Extra good Kitchen cabinet.

EXCHANGE FURNITURE CO.

See Inzer Pharmacy for Fuller Brush line.

BICYCLE

Have a practically new bicycle, two sets of new tires and tubes, one extra heavy duty luggage carrier, and large basket. \$45.00 cash. See it at the Mrs. Eunice Thompson Apartments.

J. M. SMITH (20P)

Hamlin Lions Club Is Gathering Scrap Iron

Members of the Lions Club and trucks are working gathering up more scrap iron to throw at our enemies. Perhaps you thought all of the scrap was in. Several more tons can and must be brought in.

Reply post cards have been mailed to every rural box holder asking the approximate amount of scrap known to be lying around on their premises. As these cards come in routes for the trucks will be planned and the Lions will see that it is sent where it will do the most good. Several tons have already been pledged and the grand total should be surprising. More about the drive next week.

If you know of any scrap, no matter how little or how great, get in touch with Art Carmichael, Holly Toler or any member of the Lions Club.

A New Pastor For Assembly of God

The Assembly of God church has a new pastor, taking the place of Rev. N. A. McMillan, who goes to Bowie, Texas, to be their pastor.

The new minister is Rev. Dewey Helms of Caddo, Texas. Rev. Helms came with his family, a wife and four children last week. He began his pastorate here last Sunday night, having charge of the services while the retiring pastor delivered his final sermon. Their church place is in South Hamlin.

Rev. Helms is a young man, with seven years of ministerial experience. He seems very enthusiastic in his work, and is making a great effort to meet as many Hamlin people as possible, and as soon as possible.

85 YEARS OF AGE

One of Hamlin's venerable and best beloved men is Mr. W. N. Temple, who has just started on his 86th year. He was 85 years of age Monday, March 15. Mr. Temple is still very active, makes it down to town every day to get his mail. He enjoys chats with his friends, and keeps right up with this whirling world by reading daily papers and listening to the radio. When Sunday comes, Mr. Temple can be seen on his way to his church, and often when the weather is considered too bad for younger people to get out even in autos. He has never driven a car and he says walking will keep a man fit when doctors and medicine fail. Another thing, nobody takes more pride in a yard and garden than Mr. Temple, another way to keep age from telling. Sunshine, green grass and blooming plants have a language that gives one comfort. Congratulations, Mr. Temple.

I. C. (Billie) Fudge Jr. writes from Benicia, Calif., for the Herald. He is working in the arsenal there and says he has heard of Sunny California, but so far he has only seen the sun a few times.

New Training Courses For High School Boys

Two new courses are started in the Hamlin Public Schools for the purpose of helping prepare our boys for military service. One-half unit is being granted by the State Department in applied science, which is military drill. Mr. A. L. Stell, representing the American Legion and the Home Guard, and Captain N. C. Bennett of the Home Guard from Anson, Texas, assisted by Mr. R. H. Campbell, are the drill masters. Four platoons of about thirty boys each are being given training in drill four days a week. This course has been introduced at the request of the government in order that the boys may know the fundamentals of military drilling, and that a physical fitness program may be introduced for the boys.

The second course introduced is Morse Code training. Twenty-five boys have signed up for this work. It is a government prepared course, taught largely by practice and transcription. It is a pre-induction course.

G. R. Bennett, Supt.

Watch Closely

In these days most papers are carrying heavy lists of subscribers and unless advance subscriptions are paid on or before the expiration it will hurt.

So when March closes one-fourth of 1943 is gone. We'll check out all unpaid subscriptions. So look at the figures after your name. If you have a soldier getting the Herald, ask about his date. It may be a renewal can't be made if his paper should stop.

Mrs. Dub Burgess returned home Monday night from Springfield, Mo., where she had spent the past three weeks or more near her husband, who is taking a technical course in the O'Reilly General Army Hospital. Mrs. Burgess resumes her position as operator in the S. W. Bell Telephone office. She says she enjoyed her stay in Missouri, and learned a lot about army life at the big hospital. It is to such hospitals as that in Springfield that men are sent for extended treatment after being injured on the fighting fronts.

J. M. Donaghey and Mr. and Mrs. John Dutton went to Pampa Saturday to accompany Mrs. Woodrow Dutton to join her husband who is in the Air Force there. Mrs. Dutton is staying with her husband till he is moved.

Mrs. Arnold Galloway has returned to her home after a two weeks' visit with her soldier husband at Ft. Bliss, Texas. Pvt. Galloway will get the Herald from here oft, to keep his memories fresh about the old home town.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Holden, Don and Gene spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden.

Jones County Folk Have Been Singing For Fifty Years

The Jones County Annual Singing Convention will meet on its regular date, the first Sunday in April, 1943 in the High School auditorium in Anson, Texas, the permanent home of the convention.

This Convention is fifty years old now and many of the charter members still reside in Jones County. They have really begged the committee not to go without a meeting this year. Remember the date, April 4, 1943, and come to Anson and sing all day for God and country.

A. L. Stall, Secretary

Air Medal Awarded to Sgt. Howard E. Crow

HEADQUARTERS
FIFTH AIR FORCE

February 13, 1943

Mrs. W. E. Crow,
Box 213
Hamlin, Texas.

DEAR MRS. CROW:

Recently your son was awarded the Air Medal. This award was made in recognition of his courage and fearless service to his combat organization, his fellow American airmen, his country, his home and to you.

Your son was decorated for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the Southwest Pacific Area from December 8, 1941, to November 11, 1942.

He took part in more than twenty-five operational flight missions, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations included attacks against enemy installations, shipping and supply bases, and aided considerably in the recent successes in this theatre.

Almost every hour of every day your son, and the sons of other American mothers, are doing just such things as that here in the Southwest Pacific.

Theirs is real and very tangible contribution to victory and to peace. I would like to tell you how genuinely proud I am to have had men such as your son in my command, and how gratified I am to know that young Americans with such courage and resourcefulness are fighting our country's battle against the aggressor nations.

You, Mrs. Crow, have every reason to share that pride and gratification.

Very sincerely,
GEORGE C. KENNEY,

Lieutenant General, Commanding (Sgt. Crow enjoyed a long furlough at home recently and was sent to the Pyote Field where the 19th Squadron received great recognition and now he is at the Dalhart Field.)

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Marietta of Presidio were here this week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Fannin. While here they left a dollar for the Herald so they can keep old memories of Hamlin fresh.

ABOUT HALF-INCH OF REAL RAIN, FELL HERE FRIDAY

From reports, Hamlin immediate territory was the most fortunate part of this section of Texas in getting a nice little rain last Friday morning. It was real rain, the wetting kind, that made farmers and city ranchers happy. But it quit and the extent of area covered was very small. Perhaps a full half-inch fell, and it was the first this year.

Most all farmers have their lands in good shape and when a good season comes things will boom. This is a row crop country, a cotton country, and fine for grain if rains come in time.

Last week end Jimmie Clements and Elmer Feagan, Jr., were at home from John Tarleton College, retaking a survey of who and where people live in Hamlin. It seems they are afraid they will "forget" and have to come back and look 'em over.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sauze and children of Abilene were over for Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Tegart.

The Herald anywhere, 1 year, \$1

THIS WEEK

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT

This

AND A LITTLE BIT OF

THAT

—See that Editor Shelton of the Rotan Advance says "Don't take the Advance unless you really want it."...that's another wrinkle the war has put on things...most people are looking to "home-town" papers for information and war details as never before...maybe subscriptions could be rationed but not likely...one thing certain tho, a small town paper can go broke flat as a fritter if its subscription list gets too large...the date which each paper is paid up to is generally plainly printed on the paper or wrapper and for a publisher to keep sending a paper not paid for should be against postal regulations.

—Whew! That's over! Didn't we have a tug at that Income Tax sheet?...how's your conscience, bud, did you leave out some "deduct" or did you show a very expensive year to operate your business? The "Ides" of March is a great day, provided we arrange for it, and the "arranging" should start with a sensitive conscience on January 1, of each year...both for income and outgo, allowables....

—The most wonderful tomatoes are being grown (?) in Jones Co., even right here in Hamlin...why, the old Editor has got the tomato fever...we see where they have a tomato that grows up ten or twelve feet, one that requires a step ladder, and the "love apples" some are as heavy as TWO pounds...now we're going to put out some of "them kind" and have our picture tuck...The best time to do gardening is early in the spring, in fact about March 21, while it's not too hot, plant it out wide and extensive, and then forget about it, or then later towards summer in the early mornings you don't have time to, then it's too hot just after lunch, and by late evening...well, what's the use, it's all wilted down....Let's go buy some vegetables.

—Talking about Income Tax...it is wonderful how the American people respond to duty...why, the way the congress has been "chewing the rag" about the income tax, one would be justifiable in thinking they were trying to figure out some way to "eliminate" all taxes due Uncle Sam...but instead the mails have been crowded with reports, with checks, full and ample payments and from millions of anxious hearts that beat with a feeling of gladness because one has made enough to pay on and still have ten thousand times more left than some of the pitiful people in lands where the murderers have taken life and property.

—The most effective "Ceiling" on any article is when the ceiling gets to high, quit buying that article...after all the buyer sets the price...quit buying and watch the stuff fall...if there's too much produced or made the demand takes care of that too...after all, nature has a pretty good way to balance everything, even the mass of humanity.

—The past week end, Attorney Frank Taylor, who is with the OPA was in Hamlin to visit his mother and to look after "Ceilings" in this part of Texas. Frank says they are having some trouble holding fryers under the ceiling...in fact, in some places, the fryers have gone into the attic...tender fryers are rare now but within a few more weeks they will be on hand by the millions and there's where the ceiling will help everybody.

Miss Eleanor Temple went to the home of her brother, Earl Temple, near Lamesa, Sunday. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wiar. Mrs. Earl Temple is very ill in a Lamesa hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. T. M. McBrayer of Childress visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Harrell this week.

Hey! Look Mamma! Inzer Pharmacy is the Fuller Brush man now.

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Let's Not Forget—

That the thing of first importance in this United States is our WAR. Every time one of our soldiers or sailors come in from the battle front and hint at even a few of the things our enemies are doing, it brings the war nearer our doors. Our boys can't realize how impossible it is for the folks back home to understand that it's a real fight, where blood and bones and hearts and brains are sacrificed.

And you know some people get peeved when they see others getting "serious" as if this thing can be laughed off. We can't wish a victory, we have kidded ourselves too long, made monkeys of our efforts, and hoop-laed for the Russians and cursed the English and pitied the Chinese, slurred the pitiful French, and now some are yelling, "The war is about over."

Up to this time, excepting the Navy and Air Forces, we have only skirmished, unless it is now a first class drive is on in Tunisia. All of us are proud of our men who batter back the Japs, but not a single man has come home making fun of the Japs as fighters. Those little monkeys are on our backs and we are going to see several Kiskas before it is over. The day of parade ought to stop, and kidding ourselves that a victory can come by letting the "other fellow" do the fighting. Do we really realize there's a war on and somebody is going to get hurt?

It is always fine to get a nice letter from folks who have lived at or near Hamlin, for example W. A. Oneal at Gorman, the old-timer who says "Inclosed is a dollar for the Herald, we can't do without it." OK W. A., how are your peanuts coming?

Makes Good Point—

Thursday morning the Abilene Reporter-News carried a timely editorial on the lack of whole-hearted co-operation of the Austin government with that of Washington. Especially did it mention the failure of the legislature to amend the Texas auto speed law to meet requirements of the 35 mile suggestion. So from here on you can pass the State Patrol officers and thumb your nose to them at 60 miles per hour, but remember when you DO, you are not showing much respect and little concern in the efforts to keep things going while our boys are fighting our battles. Go on bud, it's your country, somebody will come along sometime and pick you up. Here is where the rationing board can do some good work.

Another thing, the Reporter-News mentioned that paralleled what we have said long ago. The tirade some of the new politicians down in Texas are making about "Bureaucracy" in our federal government. Democracy is a word from the Greeks, meaning the will or wish of the people. A governmental bureau is a department set up by a legislative body to carry on some part of government, which is the will of the people. Now why raise so much hell about "bureaucracy" when it is the sole manner of making our state and federal government operate? It seems clear that there is a race on down here, laying a screen behind which a certain noisy orator is planning to run for something. It would seem Texas people would learn better than to follow off after such chaff, after so much of it has been fed to Texas.

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WE SLING GYPSUM

Gypsie Reporters
(Frances Nichols-Minnie Lee Elkins)

It looks as if "Old Man Winter" has just about vanished. Let's hope he has, anyway.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ferguson and daughter, Penny Frances of Sylvester, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Chriswell spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Chriswell in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lockhart are enjoying a visit from Mr. Lockhart, and Mrs. Nora Lockhart of Quanah. John Riddle visited his mother, Mrs. D. L. Riddle in Hamlin Sunday.

Miss Louise Riddle entertained a number of young people in her home Saturday. A good time was reported by all.

Earl Hines of Hamlin visited in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hines Sunday.

Pvt. Eugene and Mrs. Eaton were home last week end to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Elkins and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Eaton.

Miss Geraldine Brown spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Annie Lou Bevans and family in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marchman and daughter, Marceda, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rhoton and family and Mr. and Mrs. June Rhoton and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rhoton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lester and family spent Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McWright and son, Harvie Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter, Mrs. Annie Lou Brown and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Smith are enjoying a visit from Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Ada Smith.

Misses Betty Jo and Hopie Greene gave a party Monday night for the young people. Everyone enjoyed it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Griffin and daughter, Lovela and Lynn, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hall of Hamlin.

Little Jerry Carr has been sick

with tonsilitis this last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown received a letter from their son, Pvt. W. A. Brown who is in the Marines. He is well and still expects to come home Easter.

We were handed a dollar to send the Herald to Pvt. B. L. Smith for one year. B. L. is now stationed at Los Vegas, Nevada.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Johnson and son Bob of Post, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fahey.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jones of Hamlin.

Miss Mary Lou Bond and Miss Tess Carr spent Monday with their parents.

Glenn W. Bond left for Camp Wolters Wednesday, after a seven days leave. He was sworn in the army March 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Fancher and daughters, Janice, Winna Faye and Wilda Jean, spent Sunday in McCaulley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Polk and family spent the week end in Rotan visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fahey spent Sunday with their son, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Fahey and family at Rotan.

We were just handed a letter from Pvt. Dick Chriswell. It reads as follows:

Dear Friends: I would like to hear from some of you. All I can say is, it's sure swell to get to come home once every two months.

Yours truly,
Pvt. Richard L. Chriswell
San Angelo Army Air Field

PIE AUCTION CONTEST AT CHURCH MONDAY NIGHT

There will be a pie auction, a contest for a girl to be Miss Plasterco of 1943. There will also be a good program, all a benefit to the Red Cross. Our quota is \$150.00. Help us reach our quota. There will be enjoyment for everyone. Come, and bring money or coupons, and buy a pie, and bet on your girl. Ladies will bring pies. Remember, Monday night, March 22nd.

Decorative Felt for bedrooms and parts of the home. No canvas required.

PAUL BRYAN LUMBER CO.

About Soldiers--Sailors

Information comes that soldier man Harold F. Newberry, formerly operator of the Cloverfarm Store, is now rated Pfc. Newberry is at the Childress Bombadier Field. Harold is in the ground force.

— S & S —

Pvt. D. M. Wright is another soldier who got a chance to change his G I clothes to that of a farm worker. Pvt. Wright got home from the Demming, New Mexico, army airfield Saturday. He had been in nine months.

— S & S —

Staff Sgt. Mannon Terrell has just returned to service after a 20 days furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Terrell. Those people formerly lived in Fisher Co. This soldier has been in the regular army nearly four years and has more stripes and badges yet seen in Hamlin. Service stripes and gunnery efficiency.

— S & S —

SERGEANT WINIFRED JOINER PRISONER IN PHILIPPINES

Mrs. A. S. Joiner received a message last Saturday from the War Department that her son was reported a prisoner of the Japanese Government in the Philippines. This comes as a great relief to this bereaved mother and family. Winifred's father recently passed away and to the very last he hoped and longed to hear that his son was alive.

This was the first time they had heard from Winifred since before Pearl Harbor. He was stationed at Nichols Field some distance from Manila when the Japs struck them. There are several other Hamlin boys that have not been heard from yet, and this gives hope that ere long the Red Cross will secure the wanted information.

— S & S —

Cpl. Jack Sauls, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sauls writes his parents from North Africa frequently but only enough to let them know he is well. Jack says, however, that the PX finally got there and they can get candy now.

— S & S —

J. M. Donaghey went to Dallas last week with his son, Pvt. J. M. Donaghey who was returning to Camp Campbell, Ky. Mr. Donaghey has a cousin in Dallas and he promised to tell the soldier son-if he caught a fish in White Rock Lake. He did; it was a 5 pound Channel Cat. That ought to make the boy smile.

— S & S —

Lieutenant John H. Reynolds and wife and daughter of Jackson, Miss. came up Saturday night to visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Reynolds. Lt. Reynolds is in the 304th Ordnance Regt. and has been in service about ten months. He had formerly been occupying an important position with the International Harvester Co. and was commissioned on entering the army.

Rabbits

California is the leader in rabbit production although no complete figures for the nation are available. It is known that in the Los Angeles trade area, 1,600,000 pounds of rabbit meat have been sold in one year. The U. S. Rabbit Experiment station is located at Fontana, Calif., where studies are being made in breeding, fur and wool production and marketing. Rabbit raising has thrived in the West because the mild climate permits open air hutches.

Most of the income is made by selling rabbits for meat. This compares favorably with other meats in protein. It has less fat and costs less per pound than expensive cuts of beef and lamb. This country has imported an average of nearly 91,000,000 pounds of dressed rabbit pelts and it would seem that there might be a bright outlook for selling furs and pelts. Efficiency studies show, however, that meat is the more dependable outlet. Because of the cost of stock, it requires more money to raise rabbits than poultry.

California raises more Angora rabbits than any other state. Much rabbit wool is imported and some California people have obtained a better price per pound for wool when it was spun into yarn at home and then sold to department stores.

— S & S —

Notice the date after your name.

W. H. EYSEN, JR.

Attorney-at-Law

Income TAX Reports
Office Waggoner Building
HAMLIN, TEXAS

Sgt. Norman Lasseter came up from the Eagle Pass Flying School on a ten days furlough. He is a radio operator in the control tower.

— S & S —

Now here's a sailor for you, Max B. Carlton, who arrived in Hamlin Wednesday from the "little ole Pacific Ocean," where he had been playing around the last three or more years. Max is an Aviation Machinist Mate, 2-C, and has not been at home in about two years. In that time he has gone through a lot of hard stuff, on a big cruiser. He will be at home about twenty days or more. As soon as he arrived he wanted to see his famous white and green Pied Piper sweater, with that big green H in front. Since Pearl Harbor Max has played in some big games, for instance, Midway, Coral Seas, etc., and wherever the Piper goes, he keeps kicking the goal.

— S & S —

Pvts. Pat Marlowe and Vernon Address, ground air force soldiers in the Bryan Field, will have to be "good" now. Pat came up this week and moved his wife and little son and Mrs. Address to Bryan where they will stay while the boys are there. Pat Marlowe gave up a dandy job as manager of Safeway Store here to join the army, and Vernon Address likewise was one of the main "bean pushers" in that store. Mrs. Address has been connected with the Cactus Beauty Shop for some time.

— S & S —

Our young Marine boy, Delbert Kite, was heard from again this week. He sent his letter out on Feb. 18, from somewhere. He told his mother he had received about a dozen letters from her. But Mrs. Kite writes about three times per week. Mail is getting through better now. Delbert told his mother not to worry about his getting cold. He says, "Yes, I'm comfortable, except too warm." He could not tell where he was but he did say "There are so many trees that I can't step outside of my hut door without bumping my head." Well, news of any kind gives a parent encouragement and renewed hope.

— S & S —

This week we got to see a letter from Sgt. Joe Meeks from North Africa. Joe says it's cold and raining (that was Feb. 19). He sent his picture and one with him and two buddies, and also one of Martha Raye who was making the camps and boosting the men with her comedy. Joe didn't tell much, but it was enough to make his old Dad, G. A. Meeks who is almost blind, very happy.

— S & S —

Lieutenant and Mrs. Dalbert Barron came in from Chico, Calif., and spent the past week end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Greenway in the Wise Chapel community. They were on their transfer to Hobbs, New Mexico, where Lt. Barron is assigned to the Advanced Air Base.

— S & S —

Pvt. Alpha O. Butler who is in the 29th FA Bn., is still traveling. He seems to be in a demonstration detachment teaching other outfits.

— S & S —

Pfc. Alvis Bond, who is stationed at School in Brookings, South Dakota, was called home last week by the illness of his baby. He found it greatly improved and will return this week to his training.

— S & S —

Pvt. Ernest Jenkins was up from the Bryan Air Field to visit with his wife and parents the past week end. His wife is teaching in the Lubbock schools and met him here.

— S & S —

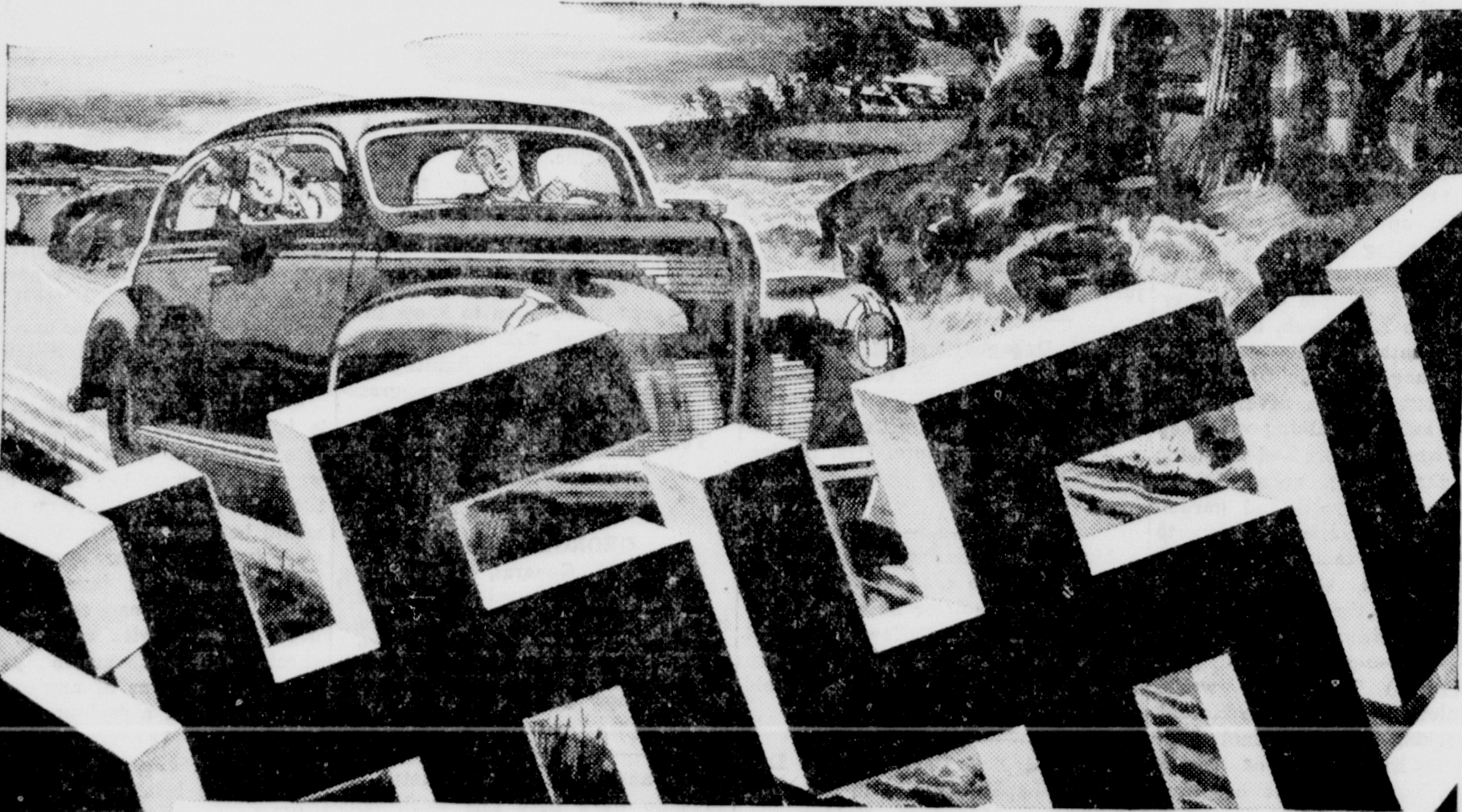
Pfc. Cleo Perryman came in last week from Camp Young, Calif., on a short furlough. Cleo is in the Coast Artillery communications department.

— S & S —

The Public Relations office at Maxwell Field, Ala., reports that Milton Young Wilson (M. Y. to us in Hamlin) son of Mrs. M. Y. Wilson, is now enrolled as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces Pre-flight School for Pilots. Wilson was formerly a student in North Texas State Teachers College, and received a diploma from the Army Mechanics School of Aeronautics at Kansas City, in aircraft engine overhauling. He enlisted Dec. 29, 1941 and served as an enlisted man till Jan. 27, 1943 at Nashville.

— S & S —

Pvt. "Jiggs" Gold came up from the Bryan, Texas, Air Field Saturday looking fit and fine, to be at home till Thursday. Pvt. Gold said they had been living on Field Rations all the week. He said it was a balanced feed.



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Lester Morton Weds Abilene Girl

Miss Juanita Fielder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fielder, of Abilene, and Lester Morton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morton of Hamlin, were married Sunday morning at 9 o'clock in the First Baptist church in Abilene. The ring service was read by the pastor, Dr. Millard A. Jenkins.

Wedding music was given by E. Edwin Young, dean of music at Hardin-Simmons University and Miss Halouise Mason, of Frederick, Oklahoma.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Fielder home, 518 Meander, for members of

the wedding party, relatives and close friends.

Mrs. Morton is a graduate of Abilene High school, and a senior student in Hardin-Simmons University. At Hardin-Simmons she has been a member of the Cowgirls, a capella choir, Beta Mu Kappa, music society, and the University chorus. She is majoring in public school music.

Mr. Morton is a graduate of the Hamlin High school and of Hardin-Simmons where he majored in physical education. In college he was a member of the Physical Education club, a capella choir, University band and tenor in the male quartet. He is employed at the Camp Berkeley postoffice, but has been accepted for aviation cadet training and will be inducted March 20th.

Mrs. C. M. Ryles of Abilene is spending the week here with her mother, Mrs. Dock Griffin. Her husband is a soldier in North Africa.

Henry Faulkenberry of Lamesa came down last week to visit his aged mother at the home of his brother, L. R. Faulkenberry.

METHODIST CHURCH

JAMES E. HARRELL, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Morning Worship at 11 o'clock.
Youth Fellowship Recreational Hr. 6:15 P. M.

Youth Fellowship program, 7:15 P. M.

Evening service at 8:15.

Woman's Society of Christian Service Monday afternoon at 3:00.

Fellowship night Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, with a covered dish lunch. The Latin America Mission Study Book will be presented at this time. Bring a covered dish and enjoy this Fellowship evening.

The pastor will bring the sermon message at both the morning and evening services next Sunday. Special music will be rendered.

The world needs your Christian influence more now than ever before. Faithful attendance at church will help you and the world about you. Attend church and help to make this old world a better place in which to live.

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FLAT TOP NEWS

By Laverne Jenkins

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of Aspermont spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Jones of Lubbock spent the week end with Mr. Frank Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Branscum of Aspermont visited Mr. and Mrs. Eli Bruner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McInroe and daughter Ola Jean of Swedonia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Packwood.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bingham and son Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Whittenburg of Boyd Chapel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hill and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hill of Hinson Sunday.

Mrs. Viola Brown returned home Saturday after having spent two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Sam Tindal of Littlefield.

Miss Laverne Miller of Abilene spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Miller.

Miss Dorothy Nell Jenkins spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whaley of Dovie.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Stovall of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Holmes.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

J. W. CUNDIEFF, Pastor

10 A. M., Bible School.
11 A. M., Preaching service.
7 P. M., Preaching service.
8 P. M., Wednesday, prayer meeting.

8 P. M., Bible study.
Members are expected. Visitors will find a friendly welcome.

NEINDA NEWS

By Ettie Hodges and Artha Lee Tollison

Mrs. Arnold Galloway returned Monday from Fort Bliss where she has been visiting her husband.

Vallie Dewitt Hodges visited with James Smart Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daniels visited with Mrs. Daniels' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Baldwin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Maynard and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maynard.

Mrs. Floyd Winslett spent the week end in Abilene with Sgt. and Mrs. H. Hilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Boyd visited relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Rogers and sons Kevin and Dwain visited Mrs. Rogers' mother in McCauley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams Sunday.

Wanda Williams spent Sunday with Annie Lee and Charlene Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scarborough of Dallas visited relatives here last week end.

Mrs. George Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Brown and family this week.

Miss Ima Bell Rodgers of Fort Worth visited relatives here last week end.

Mr. Raybon Dixon of Amarillo visited his wife and children here last week end.

Mrs. Carmelita Griffin came from Abilene Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. Dock Griffin. She was accompanied by Sgt. James W. Beane, who came home on a furlough.

NAZARENE CHURCH

Christian training for the youths of our country is more essential today than ever before. We all feel that our victory over the enemies of civilization, depends upon "Christian America." And Christian America depends on the Christian as an individual, for America is no stronger Christian than her people.

Let's do our bit to win by attending church and Sunday School every Sunday.

We especially invite you to our church Sunday night, March 21, at 8:15 to hear Rev. Ralph Cook, a missionary to India. We are sure Bro. Cook's message will be inspirational and informational.

Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
N. Y. P. S. 7:30 P. M.
Missionary Service 8:15, P. M.
We welcome all visitors to all our services.

Dan D. Jones, Pastor

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SID LILES, Sponsor

Sunday School 10 A. M.
Preaching Service 11 A. M.
Divine Healing Service... 3 P. M.
Young People's Service 7:15 p. m.
Evangelistic Service .. 8:15 P. M.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 8:15 P. M.

Come and receive a reward in the Lord's blessing. Come and hear the old time gospel.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Doyle Banta, Minister

SUNDAY

Bible Study at 10:00 A. M.
Worship Service at 11:00 A. M.
Bible study at 7:00 P. M.
Worship hour at 8:00 P. M.

MONDAY

Ladies' Bible class at 3:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY

Bible study at 8:00 P. M.

Mrs. Marvin Hill has returned to her home in Silver City, N. M., after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Warner. Mrs. Hill also visited her sister, Retha Helms of Pampa while in Texas.



War Workers and Soldiers must have EXTRA ENERGY! They need plenty of fats and meats, to keep them going at top speed.

Cotton Is An Energy Crop!

COTTONSEED OIL supplies essential fats for Americans who fight and work for freedom...

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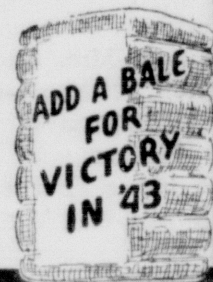
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J. E. MOODY, Mgr. PHONE 175

HAMLIN, TEXAS



Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Maloney of Wichita Falls came down for the weekend to be at home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van Huling. Van was on a visit with his family, while he had a chance to get off from his work in the shell loading plant at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Perryman of Grand Prairie came up last Friday night to visit home folks while their brother Pfc. Cleo who was here on a furlough. Edell is making airplanes in North American. Mrs. Perryman is better known as Nita Tidwell.

FERGUSON THEATRE

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ROY ROGERS
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SAT. NIGHT PREVUE 11:45

Sunday Matinee

AND NIGHT

SUN. Night Beginning 8:45

Complete Show Begins 9:00

MONDAY NIGHT

JACK BENNY

And ANN SHERIDAN in
'George Washington Slept Here'

Ann makes a rustic out of Benny. A home in the country, with locusts, mud and a phony rich uncle.

With CHARLES COBURN
HATTIE McDANIELS

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Tuesday—Wed.

SPECIAL BARGAIN NIGHT

9c and 20c

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INVEST IN AMERICA! BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

POT SHOTS FROM M'CAULLEY

BY GEO. DARDEN

Over the top went the Red Cross drive in McCauley and money still coming in. The pie supper at the school house last Thursday night netted approximately \$160.00 for the Red Cross, and already contributions unsolicited to the amount of \$70.00 had come in. Our goal of \$200.00 was reached without a struggle. Thanks to the fine American spirit of the McCauley community citizens. A nice program before the pie supper and former postmaster Harold Bonner of Hamlin was guest speaker. Mr. Hall, postmaster of Roby, led the congregation in group singing. He also acted as auctioneer. Others on the program were: Dixie Maberry, Mary Ann McCollum, Bonnie Beth Jones, Charlene Mustain, Evelyn Akins, Layena Sue Maberry, Bess Darden, Patsy Powers, Pat Rector, Mary Lou Maberry and a group of girls and boys from Mrs. L. E. Rector's room. Those who have not yet contributed to the Red Cross fund may mail their check to H. P. Powers, chairman.

Mrs. John Frank Maberry is in Dallas visiting for a week with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Maberry.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Maberry and Mrs. Maggie Dunn spent several days in Dallas last week.

Miss Lela May Beaham spent last week end in Lubbock visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Omar Prather has returned home after spending eight weeks in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Phillips and daughter of Munday, Texas, have been visiting parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Prather near McCauley.

The ladies of the community observed National Week of Prayer at the Methodist church last Friday.

Mrs. W. T. Lawliss writes us from Bremond, Texas, where she is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Norris, and she also sent us a dollar for the Herald to be sent to her husband, Pvt. Willard T. Lawliss, who is in a basic training center at Miami Beach, Florida. Thanks.

Miss Betty Strickland of the Flat Top community has been visiting Miss Raye Shelley in McCauley.

Mrs. Bennie Fancher and Bill Maberry of Lamesa visited their mother, Mrs. Dan Maberry in McCauley last week.

Word has just come to us that Mrs. Fred Maberry passed away in a Rotan hospital today, Monday, March 15th. She is survived by her husband and one daughter, three sisters, a grand daughter and many other relatives and a great host of friends. Mrs. Maberry had been ill

for several years. Mrs. Leroy Rosen of San Antonio, only daughter of Mrs. Maberry, was here when death came. At this writing we do not have particulars of funeral arrangements.

Bess Darden spent last week end in Abilene with a cousin, Miss Peggy Darden.

W. W. Miers and son Kenny of Lamesa, were visiting parents and other relatives in McCauley last week.

Mrs. Bill Anders is visiting friends in McCauley for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Anders are living in East Texas.

Bruce Andes, who is in the army, is now stationed at Walla Walla, Washington. Bruce is a corporal. He formerly run the McCauley Ice House.

One West Texas farmer tells us that he sees no reason why farm boys in this part of the country should be deferred, due to the fact that West Texas doesn't raise a great deal of food stuff. He may have something there and besides he has a boy in foreign service. Well, it takes patriotism like this man is made of to win a war.

Carpenters have been busy at the Baptist church for several days repairing the roof.

Billie Max Waldrop, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Waldrop, visited his parents last week end. Billie is employed at Radford Wholesale Grocery in Abilene.

COMMENT NO. 1—Sometimes we get to thinking about our form of government and the men who make the laws, and we often wonder if Washington, with all of its patriots, bureaucrats and the like, isn't about the greatest capital on earth. And even though we can't quite understand why all the confusion and red tape, we have come to a very definite conclusion, that Democracy with all of its faults, is far better than a Hitlerized world.

COMMENT NO. 2—Texas, the largest State in the Union, as a whole, is well represented in Washington, even though we get off the BEAM sometimes and send a few clowns to Washington as our representatives, we can all console ourselves with one thought in mind, that Texas does have big men there and maybe the better representation will stay in majority and offset the clowning of the few nit-wits.

COMMENT NO. 3—Eden's visit to our nation's capitol will likely solve to some extent the problems of a post-war world. There should be an understanding between allied nations now, and if we win the war and lose the peace, then what have we gained? The lives of our boys must not have been spent in vain, and it's the duty of American citizens to see to it that the men who represent us in Washington are men who have the love of America so instilled in their hearts that they will lay all personal ambitions aside and work for a peace among nations which will last. The men and women of America work and fight for the four freedoms, and though obligated to God and country, no mother wants to raise her boy for cannon fodder.

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MILCH COW FOR SALE

Extra good Jersey cow.
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Would like to rent about 200 acres of row crop land. If land is plowed or partly plowed, would be glad to pay for work that has been done. If interested, see
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Pvt. R. B. Taylor of Camp Bowie spent last week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cornelius, Mrs. T. W. Flenniken and children and Mrs. Opal Nichols and children returned from Dallas last week where they had been visiting for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Maberry and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young of Abilene were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Young.

We are sorry to lose from our neighborhood Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Bowen and Frances who had been operating the Boyd Chapel Grocery and Filling Station. They are now operating some kind of business at Hodges.

We welcome Mr. Dean who has opened up a nice little grocery store and filling station at the Boyd Chapel stand.

Mrs. Ada McClure and Mrs. Hershel Taylor are still on the sick list.

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